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ELECTION OF SPECIES

Sir:

In response to the Official Action dated May 17, 2004, Applicant elects species I (Figure 3) with traverse.

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

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Reconsideration of the election requirement is respectfully requested. Claims 1-37 remain in the application. The grounds for Applicant's election with traverse are shown below in Remarks.